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This is a request for filing a	[]	continuation patent application	[X]	divisional patent application

under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b), of pending prior application Serial No. 09/072,384 filed on May 4, 1998 entitled SERINE PROTEASE POLYPEPTIDES AND MATERIALS AND METHODS FOR MAKING THEM.

Prior Examiner:

W. Moore

Prior Art Unit: 1652

The copy of the papers of the prior application as filed which are attached are as follows:

- 47 pages of specification
- sheets of Declaration and Power of Attorney [X] 2
- sheets of Figures []
- [X] 19 pages of sequence listing
- [X] A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. Cancel in this application original claims 1-26 and 28 of the prior application and enter new claims 29-31 before calculating the filing fee.
- [] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: This is a
 - [] continuation
 - divisional []
 - application of co-pending application Serial No. _____, filed ____
- [X] The prior application is assigned of record to ZymoGenetics, Inc. recorded on February 16, 1999, Reel 9762, Frame 0273.
- Address all future communications to Gary E. Parker, Patent Department, ZymoGenetics, [X] Inc., 1201 Eastlake Avenue East, Seattle, Washington 98102.
- [] Enclosed is a ASCII Computer Disk Sequence pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.821(f). It is believed that the content of the paper sequence listing and the computer readable sequence listing are the same.

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A copy of these sheets is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE

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Re:

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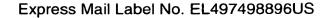
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- 1. Return Post card
- 2. Application And Fee Transmittal (in duplicate)
- 3. Patent Application (47 pages)
- 4. Unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney
- 5. Sequence Listing (19 pages)
- 6. Letter
- 7. Preliminary Amendment

are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date indicated above, addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

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LETTER

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Sir:

The computer readable form in this application is identical with that filed in Application Serial No. 09/072,384, filed May 4, 1998. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e), please use the only computer readable form filed in that application as the computer readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in the application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant application. A paper copy of the Sequence Listing is included in the specification of the instant application.

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